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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos.

Part B for

October 1922.

SUBJECT

Purchase of Manure etc., by the D. of Agriculture, for sale to cultivators.

Sl. 1)

From the D. of Agriculture
(No. B. 18 of 29.8.22).

Requests sanction for the purchase made ~~under this head~~ and further, to authorise him to purchase these to the extent of availability of funds under this head.

Sl. 2)

Order no. 22968-9 of 16.10.22

Sanctions the purchase and also authorises him to make purchases of seeds etc. for sale, to the extent of not exceeding Rs 1000/- in each case.

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To D. of Agriculture
Comptroller.

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for

Serial Nos.

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Telegraphic Address "Agn", Bangalore."

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
MYSORE STATE.

In reply please quote in
full the Nos. and indicative
symbol given below.

Bangalore,

August 29, 1922

FROM Bill 18 of 22-23 6

LESLIE C. COLEMAN, Esq., M.A., Ph.D.,

DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE IN MYSORE,

BANGALORE.

T. S. Sanyal Iyer, Esq., B.A., M.A.,

Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore, Rev. Deptt.,

B a n g a l o r e.

SIR,

I have the honour to forward herewith for information and kind return when done with the file ending with Comptroller's No. R. 1, 1204 of the 17th instant with regard to the purchase of four tons of Sulphate purchased for sale to cultivators in the districts of Hassan, Dalmora, Bangalore and Kolar which has been placed under objection. His contention that the power of sanction vested in me under Government Order No. 3408-9/A and 13-16-4 of 13th Nov. 1916 applies to this purchase and that as the sum involved far exceeds my power of sanction he is unable to admit the charge without the special sanction of Government does not, I submit, hold. My interpretation is that where an expenditure incurred by me is a final charge the limit of my power of sanction should not be exceeded. But the present is not a final charge as the fertiliser purchased is expected to be sold and the sale proceeds remitted to the Treasury. I may state that it is decidedly more advantageous to order large quantities to be stocked in several centres for distribution than to order piecemeal according to the requirements of each individual ryot and the scheme of stocking seeds and manures for sale therefore necessitated the ordering of much more than the limit prescribed in the Government order adverted to above.

Under the above circumstances I have the honour to request that I may be authorized to purchase seeds and manures to the extent of

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of the availability of funds under this budget head.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

L. H. H. H. H.

Director of Agriculture

There is a balance of Rs. 10000.
under the head of Expenditure. The charge.
"See and maintain in sale to the public" the above
request that to may be influenced to purchase
to the extent of Rs. 10000.

1/9/22 The Financial Secretariat
will, if approved, be consulted.

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Forwarded to the Comptroller for favour of opinion.
There is force in the view held by the Director.
and it may be stated if ^{any} money limit is imposed
or insisted on in regard to purchase of
manures & implements for sale made by
him. *12.9.22*

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The limit of Rs. 500 in respect of
item (2) in f.o. no 3408 of 13-11-16 is being applied
for purchase of seeds and manures for experimental
and demonstration purposes and as the pro-
vision of Rs. 10000 in the current year's estimate which
the purchase has been made is for experimental
and demonstration purposes. *12-9-22*

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Seeds and Manure
for Sale to Cultivators -

Power No. 2 delegated in Government order dated 13th November 1916 on which the Comptroller has based his objection, applies to purchases "for experimental and demonstration purposes". The head of charge comes under "Demonstration and Experiment" and the Comptroller's contention ^{therefore} is supported by this classification in accounts. The Director of Agriculture, however, draws a distinction between charges which are final and charges which are recoverable and there is much force in this view. Expenditure on the purchase of seeds and manures for sale to cultivators is different from that for purchases made for purposes of actual demonstration work coming under the different Farms. Wider powers than those permitted in respect of purchases of Farms may, I think, be given to the Director in regard to purchases for purposes of sale. The Director wants full powers subject only to the limit of the budget grant fixed. ~~Ultimately~~ Questions of final charges may arise even with reference to ~~these~~ ^{purchased} articles for sale to cultivators, as any loss resulting from the transaction will have to be borne by Government and adjusted as an item of final expenditure. In ~~this~~ ^{of this} view, it is not desirable to delegate unlimited powers and it is well to insist upon the sanction of Government being obtained for large purchases

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purchases proposed by the Department even for sale purposes. At the same time it is desirable to allow greater freedom in respect of these purchases and I would in this view suggest that the money limit for individual items of purchases may be fixed at Rs.1,000/-.

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To the D. of Agri
 The Comptroller/Secy, L. Sectt
 No L2968-9 Df 14/6-10-22
 Sanctioning the purchase
 of Ammonium Sulphate & also authorising
 him to make purchases ~~to the extent~~
 of Seed Manures for the purpose of
 sale to an extent not exceeding
 Rs 1000 - in each case.

SUBJECT.....

Diary No. of letter replied to..... 114D.....

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Signed by.....

May this be

- i Printed ?
- ii treated as a standing order ?
- iii published in the Gazette, English Part ?
- iv translated ?
- v placed at the disposal of the press ?
- vi published in the Gazette, Kannada Part ?

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Serial No. 2

Proceedings of the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

Read—

G.O. No. 3408-9 dt 13/6-1916
By 12th Nov 1916. Authorizing
the Dy. Secy, among other matters,
to purchase seed grains and
sugarcane cuttings up to Rs 500
with out previous sanction of
Govt. for experimental and
demonstration purposes.
2. Letter No. Bile 69-22-23
Order Thereon No. 29th Aug-1922
from the Dy. Secy. Forwarding
the file relating with Comphos
No. IV-7-1294 of the Govt.
to 17th Aug 1922 that for
printing etc that

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~~4-14-1968~~ The purchase of the Dryden Sulphate at a cost of Rs 1190/- in order to calculate the requirements for the Sulphate under the G.O. referred to above and the requirements for the Sulphate under the circumstances proposed in the mentioned in his letter. He may be authorized to purchase seed and manure intended for sale to the cultivators, to the extent of the availability of funds under the budget head.

D.O. No. 2968-69 Encl.

The purchase action taken by the Dryden in purchasing Sulphate at a cost of Rs 1190/- is approved.

It is further necessary that the Dryden should have some powers in regard to purchasing seed and manure for the purpose of sale. They are therefore pleased to authorize him to make such purchases to an extent of Rs 1000/- in each case.

22/9/68
for Secy.

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The Dryden in the enclosed
... complete Sulphate - this Sulphate